ment servant. Issue of such an order shall preclude retirement of the Government servant under rule 285.

3. **Amendment of Rule 96.**—Sub-rule (1) of Rules 96 of the said rules, shall be *deleted*.

4. **Amendmenment of Rule 888.**—Sub-rule (3) and the proviso thereto shall be *deleted*.

1055 By Order and in the name of the Governor of Karnataka,

G. N. HONAVAR,
Under Secretary to Government,
Finance Department,
(Expenditure IV).

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AGRICULTUURE AND ANIMAL HUSBANDRY SECRETARIAT

Notification I No. AAH 73 AEM 77(I)

Bangalore, dated 2nd August 1978.

The Governor of Karnataka hereby makes the following amendment to Notification G.S.R. 265 (AF 39 ADO 72(i)) dated 19th August 1976 sanctioning the establishment of the State Service Cadre in respect of the Karnataka Agriculture Service, namely :—

In the said Notification under the heading "Class-III":—

(1) in the entries relating to the category of posts of Agricultural Assistants, in Column 3, for the figures "2663" and "1492" the figures "2729" and 5345" shall respectively be substituted;

(2) the category of posts of Field Assitants and entries relating thereto shall be omitted.

By Order and in the name of the Governor of Karnataka.

L. NAGARAJ,
Under Secretary to Government,
Agriculture and Animal Husbandry Department.
(Agriculture)

132—G.S.R. 260

Notification No. AAH 73 AFM 77 (II)

Bangalore, dated the 2nd August 1978

In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to article 309 of the Constitution of India the Governor of Karnataka hereby makes the following rules to amend the Karnataka Agriculture Services (Recruitment) Rules, 1976. namely.—

1. **Title and Commencement.**—(1) These rules may be called the Karnataka Agriculture Services (Recruitment) (Second Amendment) Rules, 1978.

(2) They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the official Gazette.

2. **Amendment of the Schedule.**—In the Schedule to the Karnataka Agricultural Services (Recruitment) Rules, 1976.

(1) for the category of posts of Assistant Agricultural Officers and entries relating thereto, the following category of posts and entries shall be substituted, namely.—

Assistant Agricultural Officers.	(1) Sixty per cent by direct recruitment.	*For direct recruitment.*
	(2) Fifteen per cent by promotion from the cadre of Agricultural Assistants holding a Bachelor's degree in Agriculture of a University established by Law in India or equivalent qualification.	Must be holder of a Bachelor's degree in Agriculture of a University established by Law in India or equivalent qualification.
	(3) Twenty five per cent by promotion from the cadre of Agricultural Assistants.	For promotion under item (3) of column 2.— (1) Must have passed SSLC examination or equivalent qualification. (2) Must have put in a total service of not less than eight years as Agricultural Assistants or as Gramasevak or as Field Assistant. (3) Must have successfully undergone higher level training at the Rural Development Training Centres.
	If no suitable person is available for promotion under item (2), by direct recruitment.	

(2) the category of post of Field Assistants and entries relating thereto shall be omitted.

Note :— The names of persons holding the posts of Field Assistants shall in order of their seniority be included in the seniority list of Agricultural Assistants at the bottom, *i. e.*, below the names of all persons in the cadre of Agricultural Assistants.

GOVIND NARAIN
GOVERNOR OF KARNATAKA

L. NAGARAJ,
Under Secretary to Government,
Agriculture and Animal Husbandry Department.
(Agriculture)

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